The product was adulterated and misbranded while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: March 27, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

19250. Adulteration and misbranding of vitamin B complex capsules. U. S. v. 2,500 Capsules * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32835. Sample No. 39803-L.)

LIBEL FILED: February 29, 1952, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 2, 1951, from Evanston, Ill.

PRODUCT: 2,500 vitamin B complex capsules in 3 bottles at Los Angeles, Calif. LABEL, IN PART: "Vitamin B-Complex Each Capsule Contains Thiamine Hydro-

chloride U.S.P.3 Mg."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, thiamine hydrochloride, had been in part omitted.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Each Capsule Contains Thiamine Hydrochloride U. S. P. 3 Mg." was false and misleading.

Analysis disclosed that the product contained approximately 67 percent of the declared amount of thiamine hydrochloride (vitamin B_1).

The product was adulterated and misbranded while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: March 26, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

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